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CROP INFORMATION

Days suitable for fieldwork: 5.3

Soil moisture supplies: 8% very short, 17% short, 67% adequate and 8% surplus

Field Crops Report

Much of the state received scattered rainfall last week. Some areas in the northeastern part of the state remain very dry and in need of rain. Farmers in this area of the state were using irrigation where available. Soybean producers were busy applying fungicides and insecticides and scouting for Asian soybean rust. Soybeans suffering from water damage due to heavy rains were recovering. Stinkbugs were becoming a problem in many rice fields. Some rice producers began draining their fields for harvest. Showers and warm temperatures were aiding in good sugarcane growth.

Fruits, Vegetables and Specialty Crops

Vegetable producers were busy harvesting and selling produce. The peach harvest reached 52 percent complete, slightly ahead of the 5-year average.

Livestock, Pasture and Range Report

Rainfall and warm temperatures led to good pasture growing conditions. Rainfall slowed the harvest for some hay producers. The first cutting of hay was 92 percent complete, equal to the 5-year average. The second cutting of hay was 19 percent complete, ahead of the 5-year average.

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	PERCENT	Γ OF PR	OGRESS			
CROP	STAGE		Current Week	Last Week	2006	5 YR AVG
Corn	Dough		62	51	62	52
Corn	Mature		3	0	3	3
Cotton	Squaring		82	57	94	88
Cotton	Setting Bolls		14	3	43	28
Hay	First Cutting		92	90	100	92
пау	Second Cutting		19	8	18	9
Peaches	Harvested	52	41	44	50	
Rice	Headed	33	22	32	40	
Sorghum	Headed	Headed			68	47
Sorgnum	Turning Color		6	0	13	4
	Planted		100	99	100	97
Carbaana	Emerged		99	98	99	93
Soybeans	Blooming		70	47	67	48
	Setting Pods	38	26	47	25	
Sweet Potatoes	Planted		98	93	99	88
	CONDITIONS	S IN PER	CENTAG	ES		
ITEM	VERY POOR	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	EXCE	LLENT
Corn	6	11	24	46	1	3
Cotton	0	4	33	56	,	7
Rice	0 3		39	50	8	
Sorghum	1	2	16	46	3	5

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Soybeans

Sugarcane

Livestock

Vegetables

Pasture

LOUISIANA OFFICE OF STATE CLIMATOLOGY, LSU, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA LOUISIANA WEATHER SUMMARY FROM 06/25/07 TO 07/01/07

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